



Docket No.: 075148-0014

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Francesco BRAGHIROLI : Confirmation Number: 7581  
Application No.: 10/765,275 : Group Art Unit: 3662  
Filed: January 28, 2004 : Examiner: Isam A. Alsomiri

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BALANCING A MOTOR VEHICLE WHEEL

**STATUS INQUIRY**

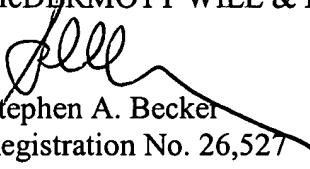
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Sir:

The above-identified application was filed on January 28, 2004. Since more than two years have elapsed since that date, and no action has been received by attorney for applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application. It is noted that the Official Gazette indicates applications filed on or before June 28, 2004 in the above-assigned Group Art Unit should have received an action on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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